

Gilden. 1617.

A new Almanacke and Prog-
nostication, for the yeare of our
Lord God. 1617.

Being the first after Leap yeare.

Calculated, and composed accor-
ding to Arre, for the Latitude
and Meridian of the Ho-
norable City of
LONDON.

And may well serue for all
the South parts of great

Britaine.
By G. Gilden Phylomath.

*Lucet in humanis diuina
potentia rebus.*

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Common notes of

*moueable feasts according
to the old accompt yed
in England.*

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The Roman Indiction	15
The Dominicall letter	C
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A report of times since some memorable

Accidents hapned, till this present yeere.

1617.

From the creation of the world untill this present yeere.	years
From the Creation to the generall Deluge.	5583
From the flood to this yeere.	1656
From the Creation to the birth of Abraham.	3927
From the birth of Abraham to this yeere.	1949
From the Creation to the Israelites departure out of Egypt.	3614
From their departure till this yeere.	2454
From the Creation to the building of the Temple	3129
From the building of the Temple to this yeere.	1934
From the Creation to the Captivity of Babylon.	2649
From the Captivity to this yeere.	3362
From the Creation to the birth of our blessed Saviour.	2221
From the birth of our blessed Saviour to this present yeere compleate.	3957
	1616

Particulars of this Iland.

yeeres.

Since Brute entred this Iland.	2724
Since England receaued the Christian faith.	1436
Since the Conquest by Duke William.	0550
Since King Henry the 8 wonne Bulldogne.	0073
Since Pauls Steeple first by lightning.	0046
Since the blazing starre and frostie winter.	0045
Since the generall Earthquake in England.	0037
Since the beginning of the raigne of King James of England, compleate in March the 24. is 16 but current.	15

How to know the beginning and end of every Terme, with their Returnes.

Hillary Terme beginneth the 23. of Ianuary (if it be not
Sunday) if Sunday, then it is referred untill the day
follow.ing, and endeth the 12. of February, and hath
4. returnes. viz.

Octabis Hillar Jan. 20 Craft purific. Feb. 3

Quind. Hillar. Jan. 27 Octab purif. Feb. 9

Easter Terme beginneth the 7. of May, and ends the se-
cond of June, having 5. returnes. viz.

Quind. paschæ May 5 Quinq; paschæ May 26

Tres paschæ May 12 Craft. Ascen. May 30

Mens. Paschæ May 19

Trinity Terme beginneth the 20. of June, and ends the
9 of July, having 4. returnes. viz.

Craft. Trin. June 16 Quind. Trip. June 30

Octab. Trin. June 23 Tres Trin. July 7

Michaelmas Terme beginneth the 9. of October (if it be not
Sunday, and endeth the 28. of Nouember, and hath 8.
returnes. viz.

Octab Mich. Octob. 6 Craft. anima. Nouē. 3

Quind. Mich. Octo. 13 Craft. Martin. Nou. 12

Tres Mich. Octo. 20 Octab. Marti. Nou. 18

Mens. Mich. Octo 27 Quind. Mar. Nou. 25

The Anatomie of Mans body, as the parts
thereof are gouerned, by the twelue
Cælestiall signes of the
Zodiaque.

Aries, head and face

Taurus,
Necke and
throat.

Cancer
Brest, Stomack
and ribs.

Virgo
Bowels and
belly.

Scorpio
Secret mem-
bers.

Capricornus
The knees.



Gemini.
The Armes
& Shoulders.

Leo.
Heart and
backe.

Libra.
Raynes and
loynes.

Sagitarious,
the Thighes.

Aquarius,
The Legges.

Pisces, The Feet.

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Januarie hath xxxi. dates.

Sunne riseth		H.M.		Sunne setteth		H.M.	
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		7 19				4 11	
20		7 34		20		4 26	

1	a	St. of St.	Disce. 15	*○			
2	b	Oct. Stephen	pisces 29	□○			
3	c	Oct. Johan.	aries 14	*♀			
4	d	Oct. Innocen	aries 28	♂h			
5	e	Oct. of S. P.	Taur. 12	△			
6	f	Twel. day.	taurus 26	△○			
7	g	Felix, & Jan.	Gemin. 9	♂♀. 3. 10.			
8	a	Lucian	gemin. 21	*h			
9	b	Paul Bi.	Cancer 4	♂♀			
10	c	St. of S. R.	cancer 16	♂♀			
11	d	Highmum.	cancer 22	□♂			
12	e	Agapit virg.	Leo 11	□h○			
13	f	Hillari bishop	leo 24	♂			
14	g	Felix P. iust.	Virgo 4	*h♀			
15	a	Maurence	virgo 16				
16	b	Barcellus	virgo 27	△			
17	c	Anthony	libra 9	□			
18	d	Disca virgin	libra 22	♂♀			
19	e	Mollan Bi.	Scorpio 4	♂h			
20	f	Fabian & Se.	scorpio 17	♀ in Apog.			
21	g	Vincent mart	Sagita. 0				
22	a	Emerencian.	sagita. 13	*○			
23	b	Lucas begin	sagita. 27	△h			
24	c	Timothie	Capit. 11	*♀			
25	d	Con. of Paul	capit. 25	♂♀			
26	e	Pollicarpe.	Aqua. 9				
27	f	Iulian con.	aquar. 24	♂. 9. 8.			
28	g	Agnes.	pisces 9	in perig.			
29	a	Valeri. bish	pisces 24	♂♀			
30	b	Barthol Queen	aries 9				
31	c	Helgunde.	aries 24	△h. 8. 21.			

first quar-
ter the 4. day,
at 5. a clocke
3. min. in the
mornig.

sol mone
the 11. day, at
6. a clocke 13
minutes at
night.

last quar-
ter the 19. day,
at 11. a clock
9. minn. at
night.

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mone the 26
day, at mid-
night.

February hath xxviii. dayes.

I	Sunne rileth	Ho. M.	I	Sunne fetteth	H M
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		6. 36			5. 24

1	d	Walter	Jan. 8		
2	e	Walter of B.	Jan. 22	★♀	first quar-
3	f	Blaise Bish.	Febr. 5	☐♀	ter the 2. day
4	g	Robert Bish.	Febr. 18	☉♂♀	at 3. a clocke
5	a	Agathe virgin	Mar. 1	★h	and 51. min
6	b	Dorothea virg	Mar. 13	☉♂	afternoone.
7	c	Augustus.	Mar. 26	☉ in Ap. Ec.	
8	d	☉ MOTO.	Leo 8	△♀	
9	e	Scholastica.	leo 19	☉♂☉	Full moon
10	f	Paul Bish.	Virgo 1	☉♂	the 10 day, at
11	g	Appollonius	Virg. 13	☉ in Apog.	one a clocke
12	a	☉ MOTO	Virg. 24	△♂	20. min. after
13	b	Moltan	Libra 6	★h	noone.
14	c	Galentine.	Libra 18	☐♂	
15	d	Pauline	Scor. 0	★♀	
16	e	Julian vir.	Scor. 12	△♂	Last quar-
17	f	Pollicron	Scor. 25	☐♂	ter the 18 day
18	g	Concord.	Capri. 8	△♀	at 3. a clocke
19	a	☉ MOTO	Capri. 21	△♂	45. min. after
20	b	Willelmus virg	Capri. 5	△h	noone.
21	c	72. Mart.	capri. 19	☉♂	
22	d	Peter charr.	Aqua. 1	☐h	New
23	e	Pollicarp. at	agua. 18	☉♂	moone the 25
24	f	☉ MOTO	pisce. 3	★h	day, at 10 a.
25	g	Generine.	pisce. 18	☐♀ in p	clocke and 17
26	a	Victorinus.	Aries 3	☉♂	min. before
27	b	Fortunatus.	aries 18	△♂	noone.
28	c	Augustine	Taur 1	★h	

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23	e	
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March hath xxxi. dayes.

1 10 20	Sunne rifeth.	H. M 6. 19 6. 1 5. 45	1 10 20	Sunne fettereth.	H.M. 5 41 5 59 6 19

1	D	Danid bish.	Tau. 17	*○
2	E	Edmond king	Gemi. 1	△77
3	F	Sanrice	gemi. 14	*♀
4	G	Adrian	gemi. 27	*h
5	A	Focas & Eul.	Canc. 10	□♀
6	H	Alctor	canc. 23	*77○
7	C	Perpetuus	Leo 5	□h
8	D	Despo of felix	leo 17	♂h♀
9	Q	Quadragesim	leo 29	♂♂
10	F	F. O. O.	virgo 10	△h
11	G	Gulston.	virgo 22	△77 in Ap
12	A	Althor king	Libra 4	○♀
13	H	Theodore ma	libra 15	*♂
14	C	Peter mar.	libra 27	□77
15	D	Longins mar.	Scor. 9	♂♀
16	E	Gertrud.	scorp. 21	♂○♀
17	F	Patrick.	Sagitt. 4	▽○
18	G	Edward king	sagitt. 17	△♂
19	A	Jos spoul. Pa	Cappic. 0	♂ in Pe. Ep.
20	H	Cuthbert	cappi. 13	□♂♀
21	C	Benedict	cappi. 27	*♀
22	D	Paulinus	Aqua. 12	*○
23	E	Theodore.	aqua. 27	♂♂ o. 46.
24	F	Ant. Rey. Jac	Pisc. 11	*77♀
25	G	Quint. of S.	pisce. 26	*77 in pe
26	A	Castor mart.	Aries 11	*♀♀
27	H	Partian.	aries 26	△77♀
28	C	Dorothe virg.	Tau. 11	♂h
29	D	Sabine.	tauru. 25	♂♀
30	E	Guido mar.	Gemi. 9	*♂
31	F	Adelme bish.	gemi. 22	△♂♂

First quar
ter the 4 day.
at 4. a clocke.
49 min. in the
morning.

Full mone
the 12 day.
at 7. a clocke
25 min. in the
morning.

Last quar
ter the 20 day.
at 4. a clocke.
17 min in the
morning.

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mone the 26
day, at 6. a
clocke and 35
min. at night.

Aprill hath xxx. daies,

I	} Sunne riseth	} H. M. I 5 18 5 1 4 43	I	} Sunne seteth	} H. M. 6 42 6 59 7 27
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1	a	Theodore	Cancer 6	*h)		
2	a	Wary Egyp.	cancer 18	□○)		first quar
3	b	Richard bish.	Leo 1	○z)		ter the 2. day
4	c	Ambrose bish.	leo 13	□h)		at 7 a clocke
5	d	Martia mar	leo 25)Ω 1.45.		38. minutes
6	e	Sixtus mar	Virgo 7	Δh)		at night.
7	f	Euphemia vi.	virgo 19	*zz		
8	g	Agilys	Libra 2)in Apog.		
9	a	Dassion .vir.	libra 13	Δz)		fulwom
10	b	○.○. 12.	libra 25	□zz○		the 10. day
11	c	Leo confessor	Scorpi. 6	○h)		at 11 a clocke
12	d	Pullus bish.	scorpi. 19	□s)		33 minutes at
13	e	Senon Bish.	Bagita. 1	Δz)		night.
14	f	Libur.	lagita. 13	○z)		
15	g	Dwald.	lagita. 26	Δz)		
16	a	Ysidorus	Capt. 10	Δ○)		
17	b	Donund.	caput. 23			last quar.
18	c	Alphage	Aquari. 7	□h)		ter the 18 day
19	d	Victor mart.	aquari. 21)V.6 54.		at 2 a clocke.
20	e	Gallier say	Plaris 6	*h)		4. minutes
21	f	Simpcon.	pices 21	*z)		afternoone.
22	g	Gothe	Aries 5	*z)		
23	a	S. Diego	aries 20	sh○		● New
24	b	Wilfrid.	Taurus 5			moone the 25
25	c	Warks Chan.	taurus 19	□z)		day, at 4. a
26	d	Clement bish.	Gemini 3	Δzz)		clocke, 55. m.
27	e	Anastassus.	gemini. 17	Δzh)		the mo;ning.
28	f	Nictalis mar.	Cancer 1	z)		
29	g	Peter of Edl.	cancer 13	zz)		
30	a	Ekenwald	cancer 26	○zc		

May hath xxxi. daies,

1	Sunne rileth	H. M.	1	Sunne setteeth	H. M.
10		4. 25	10		7. 35
20		4. 22	20		7. 25
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1	b	John of Jacob	leo	9	* ♀ ♀	
2	c	Athanatus	leo	21	♂ 7. 15.	first quar-
3	d	Inuen. Crue.	Virgo	3	* ♀	ter the 3. day,
4	e	Christopher.	virgo	15	△ ♀	at 11. a clock
5	f	John post. lat.	virgo	28	♂ in Apog.	49. min. be-
6	g	John of Ben.	Libra	9	♂ ♀	fore noone.
7	a	Terrestrin	Libra	21		
8	b	App. S. Wich	Scorpi.	3	□ ♀	
9	c	Trans. of M.	Scorpi.	16	♂ ♀	full moon
10	d	Sordianus.	Scorpio	28	* ♀	the 10. day,
11	e	1. 9. 24.	Sagi.	11		at one a clock
12	f	Percus.	Sagitt.	23		31. min. after
13	g	Bernardus	Capit.	6	△ ♀	noone.
14	a	Bonifacius	capric-20	* ♀		
15	b	Alidore mart.	Aquari.	3	△ ♀	last quar-
16	c	Brandon	aquar.	17	♂ 11. 10	ter the 17 day
17	d	Trans. Barna	pisces	2	□ ♀ 17. 21	at 6. a clocke,
18	e	Dioscor. mar.	pisces	16	♂ ♀	40. min. at
19	f	Dimstian B.	Aries	1	♂ in Perig.	night.
20	g	Hellen Quen	aries	15	□ ♀	
21	a	Jailan vlg.	Taurus	0	□ ♀	
22	b	Deliberius	taurus	14	♂ ♀	
23	c	Gilbert con.	taurus	28	△ ♀	
24	d	Urbanus.	Gemi.	12	□ ♀	new
25	e	Regition Cu	gemini	25	♂ ♀	moone the 24
26	f	Adelmus.	Cancer	8	* ♀	day, 44. mi-
27	g	Beda presbit.	cancer	21	♂ ♀	after high
28	a	Sermannus	Leo	4	♂ ♀	noone.
29	b	Alencon Pav	leo	16	♂	
30	c	Nichomede.	leo	29	* ♀	
31	d	Anastatius	Virgo	11	♂ ♀	

June hath xxx dayes.

I } Sunne riseth.		H.M. } 3 51		I } Sunne seteth.		H.M. } 8 9	
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1	Richomede	virgo 23) in Apog.			
2	f	Libra. 5		Δ 77			
3	g	Libra 27		□ 77			
4	a	Scor. 0		* 77			
5	b	Scor. 12		Δ 90			
6	c	Scor. 24		* 77			
7	d	Sagit. 7		○ 77 ♀			
8	e	Sagit. 20		* 77 7.36			
9	f	Capri. 3		Δ 77			
10	g	capri. 16		□ 77			
11	a	Aqua. 0		* 77			
12	b	aqua. 14		Δ 77			
13	c	aqua. 28		* 77			
14	d	Pis. 13		○ 77			
15	e	Pisces 27) in perig.			
16	f	Aries 12		Δ 77 1.2			
17	g	aries. 21		○ 77 ♀			
18	a	Tau. 10		* 77			
19	b	canr. 24		Δ 77			
20	c	Gem. 8		* 77			
21	d	gem. 21		□ 77			
22	e	Canc. 4		* 77			
23	f	canc. 17		Δ 77			
24	g	Leo 0		* 77			
25	a	Leo 12		Δ 77			
26	b	leo. 25		* 77			
27	c	Virgo 6) in Apog.			
28	d	virgo 19		Δ 77			
29	e	Lib. 1		* 77			
30	f	Libra 13		□ 77			

(first quar-
ter the first
day, at 4. a
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in the mor-
ning.

Full
moone the 9.
day, a quarter
of an houre
past one in the
morning.

(Last quar-
ter the 15. day
at 10. a clocke
and 54. min.
at night.

● Aetoe
moone the 22.
day, at 11. a
clock and 18.
min. at night.

First
quarter & last
day, at 10. a
clock at night.

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July hath xxxj dayes.

t	$\left. \begin{array}{l} 10 \\ 50 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Sunne} \\ \text{riseth} \end{array}$	H.M.	$\left. \begin{array}{l} 40 \\ 425 \\ 442 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 1 \\ 10 \\ 2 \end{array}$	$\left \begin{array}{l} \text{San fereeth} \end{array} \right.$	H.M.
		40			80
		425			735
		442			727

1	a	Theobaldus	libra 25	☐☐☐
2	a	Hilina of Wa.	Scor. 7	☐☐☐
3	b	Gugory.	Scor. 20	△☐☐
4	c	Barin. Bi.	Sagit. 2	*☐☐
5	d	Zoe virg.	Sagit. 15	△☐☐
6	e	Tranquilla.	Sagit. 28	☐☐☐
7	f	trans. Tho. Ep	Capp. 12	☐☐☐
8	g	Grimbala.	Capp. 26	☐☐☐
9	a	7. brethren	Aqua. 10	*☐☐
10	b	Benedict.	Aqua. 24	☐☐☐
11	c	Rator & Ft.	Wilces 8	☐☐☐
12	d	Kenell.	Wilces 23	☐☐☐
13	e	Swichin.	Aries 8	△☐☐
14	f	trans. Diamond	Aries 23	*☐☐
15	g	Kenelinas.	Taur. 7	☐☐☐
16	a	Arnolphus	Taur. 21	△☐☐
17	b	Cirell.	Gem. 5	△☐☐
18	c	Dog bay bog.	Gem. 18	☐☐☐
19	d	Praxed virgl	Cancer 14	☐☐☐
20	e	Mary Dag.	Canc. 26	☐☐☐
21	f	Apollinorins	Leo 8	*☐☐
22	g	Christiane.	Leo 21	☐☐☐
23	a	James droll	Virgo 3	☐☐☐
24	b	Ann Wa. Wa	Virgo 15	☐☐☐
25	c	7 Sleepers.	Virgo 27	☐☐☐
26	d	Dampson	Lupa 8	*☐☐
27	e	Wickneg. Iaco.	Libra 20	☐☐☐
28	f	Abdon.	Scorp. 5	☐☐☐
29	g	German Bi.	Scorp. 15	☐☐☐
30	a		Scorp. 25	☐☐☐
31	b			☐☐☐

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C. Kaffner
ter the 15 day
at 2 a clock
and 49. min
in p morning

● After
noon the 22
day at 11. a
clock and 43
minutes before
noon.

Quarter the
30 day, 6 AM
an hour for
2 in the after
noon.

August hath xxxi. daies.

1 C	{ Sunne meth	{ H.M. 1.43 5.1 5.18	10 20	{ Sunne setteth	{ H.M. 7.17 6.59 6.41

1	c	Lammas day	Sagitt. 10	*♂		
2	d	Stephen mart	Sagitt. 23	△○		
3	e	Jacobi. of kep	Capric. 7			
4	f	Justine.	capric. 20	□♂		
5	g	Quintus con.	Aqua. 4	○♂♂	♂	
6	a	Sixtus p.	aquar. 18	△h♂		
7	b	Donatus.	pisces 3			
8	c	Ciriacus	pisces 18	in Perig.		
9	d	Romanus	aries 3	△♂		
10	e	Laurence.	aries 18	□♂		
11	f	Elbertus	Taurus 2	□♂♂	4.11	
12	g	Clare virgin	taurus 17	*♀		
13	a	John. 12	Gemini 1	♂h		
14	b	Eusebius	gemini 15	*♀		
15	c	Assum. Maria	gemini 28	△♂		
16	d	Rochus conf.	Canc. 11	*○		
17	e	Deo of Laur.	cancer 24	*h		
18	f	Agapitus	Leo 6	○♂♂		
19	g	Agustinar.	leo 18	♂♂ 2.12.		
20	a	Lodowicus	Virgo 0	□h♀		
21	b	Barnard	virgo 12	*h♀		
22	c	Timothy.	virgo 23	in Apog.		
23	d	Apollinar. fast	Libra 5			
24	e	Barthol. Apo.	libra 17	□♂		
25	f	Lewes R.	libra 29	*♂♀		
26	g	Caribbert.	Scorp. 11	*○		
27	a	Severinus	scorp. 23	○h		
28	b	Ruffi. mar.	Sagitta. 5	□♀		
29	c	Augustine	Sagitta. 18			
30	d	Deo. J. B.	Capric. 1			
31	e	Felix. mar.	capric. 15	△○		

● full moon
the 6. day, at
7. a clocke, &
44. minutes at
night.
Eclipsed.

● last quar.
ter the 13 day
at 9. a clocke
and 50. mt. to
the morning.

● New
moon the 21.
day, at 2. a
clocke 16. mt.
in the mor-
ning.

● first quar.
ter the 29. day,
at 5. a clocke,
and 51. mt. in
the morning

September hath xxx. dayes.

10 } 20 }	Sunne riseth	H. M. I 5 41 4 0 4 20	10 } 20 }	Sunne settech.	H. M. 6 19 5 59 5 41

1	f	Egidius	Capri 28	♂♀
2	g	Anthoine mar	Aqua. 12	♂♀ 9.45.
3	a	Gregoie	quar. 27	□h
4	b	Euthbert.	Dilces 12	△h
5	c	Berelmas	oices 27	in Perig.
6	d	Eugenius	ries 12	△h♀
7	e	Regina Eliza	aries 27	□♀
8	f	Mat of Mary	Taur. 12	♂♂
9	g	Sergonius	caucus 26	△♀
10	a	Silvius bish	Semi. 10	♀ in Ap. Ep
11	b	Pro. & Jacin	semin. 24	
12	c	Partian	Cancer 7	□♀
13	d	Pro. 24.	Cancer 30	♂♀
14	e	Holy Croffe	Leo 3	*♂
15	f	Nichodemus	ro 15	♂♀ 4.40.
16	g	Lambert bish	eo 27	□h
17	a	Amber worth	Alrgo 9	
18	b	Victor & Col.	virgo 21	♂♀ 5.28
19	c	Januarius	Libia 3	in Apog.
20	d	Eustachius	libia 14	♂♀
21	e	Barthelo Ape	libia 25	*♀
22	f	Mauritius	Scorp. 8	□h♀
23	g	Tecla: vir.	Scorp. 20	□h♀
24	a	Androchius	Sagita 2	*♂
25	b	Fleminius	Sagita. 14	*♂
26	c	Cyprian b sh	Sagita 27	△♀
27	d	Col. & Dani	Capri. 10	
28	e	Crupert. fab	apric. 23	♂♀
29	f	Miga. Arch	aquari. 7	
30	g	Bartholomus	aquari. 21	♂♀ 7.4

● full moon
the 5 day at 3
a clock & 53.
minutes in the
morning.

● last quar-
ter the 11 day
at 7. a clocke
and 26. min.
at night.

● New
moone the 19
day, at 6. a
clocke, and 26
minutes in the
evening.

● first quer-
ter the 27 day
at 7. a clocke,
21 minutes at
night.

October hath xxxj. dayes.

I 10 20	Sunne rileth.	H. M. I 6 26 6 56 7 13	I 10 20	Sunne fetteth	H. M. 5 24 5 4 4 47

1	a	Remigius	puces 5	△♀	
2	b	Leodegarius	pisce. 20	h	
3	c	Candid. mar.	veres 5	♀inperi.g.	
4	d	Francis Con	aries 20	□♂	
5	e	Apollinaris.	canon. 5	△♀	
6	f	Faith virg.	tauru. 30	o h	
7	g	Marcellus	Gemin. 4	□♀	
8	a	Belagius	gem. 19		
9	b	Terre begin	can. 2	△☉	
10	c	Gercon's.	can. 16	△♀	
11	d	Michaelus	can. 29	△♂	
12	e	Malind Bl.	Leo 12	♂ 8. 30.	
13	f	Qu. o. 8.	les 24	♂ h	
14	g	Edward K.	Virgo. 6	□♂	
15	a	Calixtus	virg. 18	△h	
16	b	Artofen	Libra. 0		
17	c	Etheld. last	libra 12	♂ in Apog.	
18	d	John Con.	libra 24	△h ♀ 11.7	
19	e	Fridwine	scorp. 5		
20	f	Austabere.	scor. 17	♂ h	
21	g	11000. virg	scor 29	* ♀	
22	a	Mary Salum	scor. 11	△ ♀	
23	b	Romanus	scor. 24	□ ♀	
24	c	Macorie	cap. 6	* ☉	
25	d	Crisp & Crisp	cap. 19	△ h	
26	e	Win. lauring.	aqua. 2	* ♀ ♀ 30	
27	f	Florence last	aqua. 16	□ h	
28	g	Simon & Jud	pisce. 0	□ ♀	
29	a	Marcellus	pisce. 14	* h	
30	b	Cermonus	pisce. 29	♂ ♀	
31	c	Quintin last	aries 14	♂ inperi.g.	

● Full
moone the 4
day, at a quar-
ter of an hour
past 12. a clock
at high noone.

☾ Last
quarter the 10
day, 45. min.
after high
noone.

● New
moone the 19
day, a quarter
of an hour
past 12. a
clocke at high
noone.

☾ First
quarter the
27. day, at
7. a clocke and
16. minutes
in the morning

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I	sunne riseth	H. M. 7 34 7 49 8 0	I	sunne settet	H. M. 4 26 4 13 4 0
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1	D. St. Martin	aries 29			
2	E. Allsoules	Tau. 14	Pinpe Ep.		
3	f. Geneside	tau. 28	Δ 77	●	Full
4	g. Amantius	gemi. 13	77 ♀ 4.48	●	moone the 2
5	a. Penderplot	gemi. 27	♂ 8		day, at 10 a
6	b. Leonard	Cam. 16	♀ in Ap. Ep.		clocke, and 9.
7	c. Milbode	cauc. 24	♂ 0 ♀		min. at night.
8	d. Crotoned	Leo 7	Δ 0		
9	E. Theodozem.	leo 20	Δ 0	●	Last
10	f. Martine	Virgo 2	★ 77 0		quarter the 10
11	g. Martin bish.	Vir 14	♀ in Ap. Ec.		day, at 2 a
12	a. 70. 2.	virg. 27	□ 77		clock, and 23
13	b. Bilseus Bi.	Lib. 9	★ 0		minutes in the
14	c. Grant Erkenw	lib. 20	♂ in Apog.		morning.
15	d. Bachutus	Scor. 2	★ 77		
16	E. Edmund. Br	scor. 14	□ 77	●	Netwe
17	f. Hugo Bi.	scor. 26	★ 77		moone, the
18	g. Octab. Marti.	Sagi. 8			18. day, at
19	a. Elizabeth m.	sagi. 21	□ 77 ♀		6. a clock, and
20	b. Edmond Ktn.	Capi. 3	♂ 77		10. min. in the
21	c. Prek of mar.	capi. 17	♂ 77		morning.
22	d. Cicely virgin	capi. 29	□ 77		
23	E. Clement bish.	Agu. 12	♂ 77. 3. 6.		
24	f. Orisogon	aqua. 26	★ 77		
25	g. Katherine	Pisc. 10	Δ 77		First
26	a. Lynus bishop	pices 24	★ 77		quarter the
27	b. Agricola	Aries 9	♀ in Pe. Ec.		25 day at 5. a
28	c. Perce emb.	aries 24	♂ in Perig.		clocke, and 9.
29	d. Saurinus,	Taur. 8	Δ 77		min. at night.
30	E. And. ew Apo.	taur. 23	Δ 77		

December hath xxxi. dayes.

I	Sunne. riseth	H. M. I 8 10 8 0 8 11	I 10 20	Sunne. setteth.	H. M. 3 50 3 59 4 0
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1	f	Eligius	Gem. 7		Full
2	g	Loy bishop	gem. 21		more the 2.
3	a	Dep. of Dm.	Cancer 5		day at 9. a
4	b	Barbara	center 14	* ♀	clock 48. mi.
5	c	Barba	Leo 2	△ ♀	in the moyn.
6	d	Nicholas	leo 15	♂ ♀	
7	e	Ambrose	leo 27	△ ○ △ h ♂	Clas quar-
8	f	concep. of Ma	Virgo 10		r the 9. day
9	g	Cyprian abot	virgo 22	* ♀	at 10. a clo.
10	a	Eulalia vir	Libra 4	△ ♀	48. minutes
11	b	Diacor. mar	libra 16	□ ♂	at night.
12	c	W. O. S.	libra 25	(in Apog.	
13	d	Luce virgin	Scopp. 11	* ○	
14	e	Ortho vir.	scoppio 23	* ♂	New
15	f	Calestan	Sagita. 5	* ♀	more the 17
16	g	O Sapientia	sagita 17	♂ ♀	day, at 11. a
17	a	Bernardine	capric. 0	○ in Perig.	clocke, & 20
18	b	Genetia virg.	capric. 15	△ h	min. at night
19	c	Taitan. lau	capric. 26	♂ ♀	
20	d	Thos. Apol	Aquar. 5	♂ ♀ 6.21	First
21	e	30. Martyrs	aquar. 23	* ♀	quarter the
22	f	Microsia virg	bilces 7	□ ♀	24. day, at
23	g	Candid. f	bilces 21	* ○	29. min after
24	a	Thom. Beck.	Aries 5	* ♀	midnight.
25	b	Jacob. tranf.	aries 20	in Perig.	
26	c	Willmer hith	Taurus 4	△ ♀	
27	d		taurus 19	△ ○	Full
28	e		Gem. 3	△ h ○	more the 1st
29	f		Gem. 17	♂ ♀	day, at 11. a
30	g		Cancer 1		locke, & 33
31	a		cancer 12	* h	min at night

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A Prognostication,
Published for this yeare
of our Lord and Sauour
I E S V S Christ.

1617.

Being the first after Leape yeare.

Wherein is set downe according to Arte,
an Astrologicall description of the
likely Seasons of the foure
Quarters of the yeare:

With other fitt matter conuenient
for such a worke;

By

G. Gilden, φιλόμαθς.

Ludit in humanis Diuina potentia rebus.

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To the Reader.

 *Vch Works as these (courtious Reader) being commonly made for the common use of the vulgar sort, hath induced mee in this yeares Almanacke and Prognostication (as well as in my last) to be as plaine and easy for thy understanding, as possibiy I could; and therefore haue differed little from my former Tables, with the use whereof you haue been already acquainted: Neuerthelesse (as I published in my last) if any worthy spirit be desirous to enrich his understanding with the noble ornaments of Mathematicall knowledge, let him know, that as the excellent Workes, both of auncient and moderne Writers are very plentifull: So neuer were there better, or neerer helpes to attaine therevnto, then at this present are in this Citie, wherewith he may be furnished, as well by the Methodicall Instruments of many learned Professors, as also by exact Instructions of all sorts, both in Copper and Wood, made by my good Friends Maister Elyas Allen, and Maister Iohn Thomson; the one*

To the Reader.

at his Shoppe quer-against Saint Clements Church
without Temple-barre: And the other, in Hofier-
lane neere West Smithfield. So that now it is no dif-
ficulty for any ingenious Spirit, to become skilfull in that
knowledge. And so, referring this my second Worke
to such Censures, as shall see it, beeing prepar'd for the
worst, and hoping for the best; I bid thee hartily fare-
well.

Thine, G. Gilden.

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Of the Eclipses this

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Five Eclipses, happening this
present yeare 1617. viz. three of
the Sunne, & two of the Moone.
The later Eclipse of the Moone,
will be onely visible in our Hori-
zon: Which will appeare heere,
at her greatestt oblecturity, at vii. of the clocke, and
44. minuts after noone the vi. day of August, en-
tring into the shade of the Earth at 50. minutes
after v. of the clocke: And shall regaine her bor-
rowed light, at x. of the clocke and 36. minuts at
night.

The continuance thereof from the beginning to
the ending, being iiii. howers 46. minutes: And
the Digets eclipsed, wilbe xvi.

Whole effectes will begin presently, as will ap-
peare in the Weathers dispose; first by sodayne
Tempestes, and after by cold Raines; to the hin-
derance of the latter end of Haruest.

For other predictions, they are so bulgarly tax-
ed, that I hold it not fit, to write further of them.

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A Declaration of
the Disposition of the foure
Quarters of the yeare.

Of the V Winter Quarter.

Winter, began the last yeare the xi. day
(at viii. a clocke, and 8. minuts in the
morning) of December, when the Arch-
flame of light beeing in his greatest di-
gression from the Equator to the South, and sci-
ted in the Tropicall poynt of Capricorne; bying-
eth cold & darknesse to vs on this Northerne part
of the Equator: but the most pleasant, and comfort-
table time of Sommer, to the inhabitants neere
the South Pole; as Noua Guinea, Chaldi, Ter-
ra del Fuego, &c.

This Quarter will begin with hard Frostes
dissolued into great Snowes in Februarie; and
somewhat rainy at the end.

Of the Spring.

The Spring, according to Astronomicall
computation, beginneth when the Sunne
enters into the dodecatemozie of Aries, or
poynt of interfection of the Eclipticke and
Equa-

Equater: But where (as I haue heretofore said) some doe ground the generall predictions of the whole yeare succedent, vpon this moment, as the radicall or genethliacall Revolution thereof, mee thinkes they might not doe so; because the true place of the Sunne in the Zodiacke, and consequently the entrance thereof into Aries, or vpon this intersecion, could not yet precisely be known.

For albeit that worthy Tycho-Brach, excelling all the Astronomers before him, by his most accurate Obseruations, (as all moderne Astronomers with one consent cannot but acknowledge:) And that there neuer were, or in after times is likely to be expected more exact Works; hee hauing by his singular industrie, and great expences, layde the foundation of the absolute perfecting of Astronomie: which he purposed (if death had not prevented him) to haue fully accomplished. Yet must I say (as in my last yeares Almanacke) that he hath not, in the Tables of his Progymnasmes, deliuered the exact and true course of the Sunne; and consequently, not the exact time of the Sunnes entrance into the Cardinall poyns.

Wherein to giue satisfaction to the studious in Astronomie, I haue thought fit to giue instances out of his owne Writings: And to pretermitt

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those Ambiguities which may be obserued in Page 27. 28. 47. 48. 49. 70. 71. 72. 73. and 74. In Page 155. he acknowledgeth himselfe, the suspicion of certaine minutes, hee conceiued in the re-stitution of the fixed Starres to their true places, which were deriued from the Sunnes place. But to make all plaine, his Heiress after his death, in their Appendix to his Progymnasmes, Page 819. 820. and 821. doe truly acknowledge these defects, which they affirme, that Tycho Brach intended to supply. As in the Eclipse 1601. which they say, happened not by reason of any defect in the Latitude of the Moone, or in her Parallaxes, nor any other principall paynt of the Calculation; but in the Sunne and Moones Diameters.

Moreouer, the said Authoys of the Appendix, in conclusion set downe, that Tycho Brach missed one minute and $\frac{1}{2}$. in his Equations.

Besides, himselfe in his Astronomicall Epistles the first part, to the Lansgrauce of Hessen acknowledgeth the error of an other Minute. Now these two Minutes, and somewhat more, doe giue neere the differance of an Houer in time, of the Sunnes entrance into the poynt of the Dodecatemories. And therefore I thinke no man can iustly take mee, for my assertion of so much, in my last yeares Almanacke, since it is thus plaine, out of his owne writings, that he hath not deliuered, in the Ta-
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bles of his Progymnasmes, the exact true time of the Sunnes entrance into the Cardinall poynts.

But (to let this suffice) the nearest time to the trueth of the Sunnes entrance into Aries, is this yeare the x. day of March at ix. of the clocke, and 46. minutes before noone.

And for the dispose of the Weather, as it is probably conjectured to befall this Quarter: The beginning wilbe, much Rainy: The middle, somewhat more seasonable: And it is like to end, with Raine and Stormes.

Of Sommer.

The Sommer quarter beginneth when faire Phoebus hauing arriued to the highest pitch of eleuation in our Horizon, by his farthest obliquation to the North, produceth the longest day, and shortest night in the yeare: which will happen the xi. day of June at high noone. And the whole Quarter, will be inclined to much wet weather.

Of Autumne.

The Sunne hauing entered into Libra, the other Equinoctiall Dodecatemorie, maketh equall Arches of Sunshine on the surface of this

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this Gloabe of mortalitie, producing a seconde Spring; which falleth out on the xiii. day of September about one of the clocke and 50. minutes in the morning: Which Quarter will begin with very sayre weather; but after will be more inclinable to wet: And at the end, very seasonable.

The Disposition of the Ayre in more particular.

FOr as much as I haue noted the Aspects of the Moone and Planets amongst themselves, against euery day of the Moneth in the v. Columnne of my Almanacke, I thought it would be no lesse conuenient, then if in stead of setting downe the dayly Dispose of the weather, I shall by a Table heere following, shew how by those Aspects, you may know the alteration of the weather; whereby you may conceiue, that if by this Table alone, you may come neere to know the Change of the weather, the whole Art is not so vaine, as it is accompted, but auayleth to the knowledge of much truth.

And that you may the better understande the Characters of the Planets, and their Aspectes, I thought it fit to set them here downe as followeth.

The Characters of the Planets.

♄ Saturne, ♃ Iupiter, ♂ Mars, ☉ Sol, ♀ Venus, ☿ Mercury, ☾ Luna.

The Characters of the Aspectes.

♄ Coniunction, * Sextile, ☐ Square, △ Trine, ♂ Opposition.

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The Table of the Aspects of the Planets, shewing
the change of Weather.

	☿.	♀.	♂.	☼.	♂.	♃.
	Clouds and moisture, moisture re misse heate. clouds, haze froft. clouds and snow.	Winds and raine, winds & showes, winds and clouds, wind and snow.	Raine and colde, showaine raine, cold fraine raine or snow.	Raine and cold, hays & thunder, raine & cold cloudes and snow.	Raine or thunder, thunder and hays, raine and winde. remisse cold	Winds & raine, hails & thunder, wind and raine, troubled aye.
☿	Temperate aye.	Great winds.	Tempe- rature.	Winds thunder & lightning, winds, remisse cold.	Winds, tempestes Whirl- winds, remisse cold.	Spring. Summer. Autumne. Winter.
♀	Abaseth cold & moisture in hot lines, causeth thunders in Summer.	Winds & cloudes, winds, and clouds, thun- ders, winds and wete.	Raine, showers, Raine, remisse cold.	Dry winds thunder & lightnings aye winds, remisse cold.	Spring. Summer. Autumne. Winter.	♂ * ☐ △ or ♀
☼	Altereth the aye, accor- ding to the seasons.	Winds and moisture, ef- fectually in ayery signes, in watery signes.	Raine, thunders and raine, raine, moisture.	Spring. Summer. Autumne. Winter.	♂ * ☐ △ or ♂	
♂	Moisture or cloudes, re- misse heate, clouds, whirlwinds, or snow.	Winds bringing wete.	Spring. Summer. Autumne. Winter.	♂ * ☐ △ or ♂		
♃	For y most part wind and cloudes.	Spring. Summer. Autumne. Winter.	♂ * ☐ △ or ♂			

**The beginning, continuance, and ending,
of the Kings reignes since the Conquest
with the time how long it is since,
to this year. 1617.**

Note that euery King began his Reigne, the same time
that the next preceeding King ended his.

The Kings names.	Beginning of their Reignes.			The time they Reigned.				Time since their reigne.
	Yeares	Months.	daies	Years	Mo	wee	day	
Will. Conq.	1066.	October.	14	20	11	2	0	530. Sept. 6.
Will. Rufus.	1087.	Septemb.	9	12	11	2	3	517. Augu. 1.
Henry. 1.	1100.	August.	1	35	4	1	4	482. Dece. 1.
Stephen.	1135.	Decemb.	2	18	11	2	4	463. Oct. 29.
Henry. 2.	1154.	October.	25	34	9	0	4	428. Iuly. 6.
Richard. 1.	1189.	Iuly.	6	9	9	0	0	418. April. 6.
Iohn.	1199.	Aprill.	6	17	7	0	0	401. Oct. 16.
Henry. 3.	1216.	October.	19	56	1	0	0	345. Nou. 16.
Edward. 1.	1272.	Nouemb.	16	34	8	1	2	310. Iuly. 7.
Edward. 2.	1307.	Iuly.	7	19	7	2	2	290. Janu. 25.
Edward. 3.	1326.	Ianuary.	25	50	5	1	0	240. Iune. 21.
Richard. 2.	1377.	Iune.	21	22	3	2	0	218. Sept. 29.
Henry. 4.	1399.	Septemb.	29	13	6	1	2	204. Mar. 20.
Henry. 5.	1412.	March.	20	9	5	3	3	195. Aug. 31.
Henry. 6.	1422.	August.	31	38	6	1	1	156. Marc. 4.
Edward. 4.	1469.	March.	4	22	1	1	1	134. April. 9.
Edward. 5.	1483.	Aprill.	9	00	2	2	4	134. Iune. 22.
Richard. 3.	1483.	Iune.	22	02	2	0	5	125. Aug. 22.
Henry. 7.	1485.	August.	22	23	8	0	2	108. Apr. 22.
Henry. 8.	1509.	Aprill.	22	37	10	0	2	70. Ianu. 28.
Edward. 6.	1546.	Ianuary.	28	6	5	2	5	64. Iuly. 6.
Que. Mary.	1553.	Iuly.	6	5	4	1	4	59. Nou. 17.
Q. Elizabet	1558.	Nouemb.	17	44	4	2	1	15. Marc. 24.
King Iames.	1602.	March.	24	whom God graunt long to reigne.				

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The vse of the former Table.

IF you desire to know how long it is since the beginning of the reigne of any King, looke how long it is since the ending of the next precedent King, and you haue your request.

Example.

I would know when King Henric the 8. began his reigne, how long he reigned, how long it is since the ending of his reigne; and also how long since the beginning of his reigne. First finde out his name amongst the Kinges names, and looking along the row towards the right hand, you shall find he began his reigne in the yeare 1509. the 22. of Aprill: And vnder the title of, The time they reigned, there is 37. yeares, 10. moneths, and 2. dayes: And looking forward in the same row; where is 70. yeares Januarie the 28. And so long it is since he dyed.

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A Table to know when the Moone wilbe South for every day in the yeare.

The age of the Moone before ●. Her comming to the South. The age of the Moone after ●.

Dayes.	howers	Minuts.	Dayes.
1	12	48	16
2	1	36	17
3	2	24	18
4	3	12	19
5	4	0	20
6	4	48	21
7	5	36	22
8	6	24	23
9	7	12	24
10	8	0	25
11	8	48	26
12	9	36	27
13	10	24	28
14	11	12	29
15	12	0	30

From the change to the full, the Moone comes to the South after noone.

From the full to the change, the Moone comes to the South before noone.

The age of the Moone being found in the Kalender (that is) how many dayes is past, from the time of her Change: Therewith enter this Table, and having found it in the first Colunne to the left hand, if it be before the full Moone: Or to the right hand, if it be after full Moone.

You shall have in the middle Colunne, her comming to South before, or after, as is noted at the foot of the Table.

As for exemple.

The first day of Januarie, the Moone is three dayes old, wherewith entering this Table, in the first Colunne to the left hand, right against it shall you have the time of her comming to the south the 2. howers 24 minutes after noone.

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To know the hower of the Night by the Moone.

The time of the Moones comming to South,
being found in manner aforesayd, looke in a
Sunne Diall vpon what hower before or
after 12. on the Diall, the Moones shadow
falleth: for so many howers it is, before or after,
the Moones comming to the South.

Example.

I finde the Moone comming to South the a-
foresayd first day of Iannuarie, to be at 2. and 24.
minutes. And at night looking in a Sunne Diall,
I finde her shadow to fall on the 3. hower after 12.
in the Diall. Wherevpon I conclude, it is three
howers past two of the clocke 24. minutes her
comming to South: And therefore 5. of the clocke
24. minutes at night.

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To know the time of Rising, Setting,
and Shining, of the Moone,
after a new method.

For the better vnderstanding hereof, you are to note, That this yeare, the Moone being in the beginning of Aries, (her semidiurnall Arch) of halfe quantitie of her time of aboad aboute our Horizon, is 6. howers 8. minutes : In the beginning of Taurus, it is 7. howers 16. minutes : of Gemini, 8. howers 14. minutes : of Cancer, 8. howers 36. minutes : of Leo, 8. howers 6. minutes : of Virgo, 7. howers 8. minutes : of Libra, 5. howers 52. minutes : of Scorpio, 4. howers 44. minutes : of Sagittary, 3. howers 46. minutes : of Capricorne, 3. howers 24. minutes : of Aquarius, 3. howers 54. minutes : and in the beginning of Pisces, 4. howers 52. minutes.

Now, by adding these howers and minutes to her comming to the South, if she be in the beginning of any of these Signes (or else such howers and minutes as shall be had by taking a proportionall part for any distance betweene,) you shall haue the time of her setting : And by taking the same howers and minutes from the time of her beeing South, leaueth the time of her rising : And the same doubled, giueth the time of her aboad aboute the

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the Horizon. Also, by taking the time of the Moones setting, from the Sunnes setting, leaueth the time of her shining after her change to her full, in the evening. And likewise by taking the Moones rising from the Sunnes rising, leaueth the time of her shining, from the full to the change, in the morning.

As for Example.

THE said 1. day of Januarie, the Moone is in the 15. degree of Pisces; whose halfe quantitie of aboad about our Horizon, (according to the former directions) is 5. howers, 30. minutes; which added to 2. howers 24. minutes, (the time of her coming to South) produceth 7. howers, 54. minutes for the time of her setting.

The same 5. howers, 30. minutes taken from the 2. howers, 44. minutes after noone, bringeth the 9. hower 14. minutes before noone.

Again, the same deuided, produceth 11. howers for the time of her aboad about our Horizon.

By taking the time of the Sunne sette the same day, which is at 4. of the clocke, from the time of the Moones setting (found in manner before set downe) viz 7. howers 54. minutes, leaueth 3. howers 54. minutes for the time of her shining.

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A Tyde Table of the principall Hauens about England, and some adiacent Regions.

Names of the Hauens.	Ho.	Min	Poynts of the Compas.	
Quinborow, Southamp, Portsmouth.	0	0	South.	North.
Redban, Aberden.	0	45	S. W. b W.	N. by E.
Grauesend, The Downes.	1	30	S. S. W.	N. N. E.
Dundee, S. Andrewes, Silli.	2	15	S. W. b S.	N. E. by N.
London, Tinmouth, Hartlepoole.	3	0	South west	North East.
Barwicke, Ostend.	3	45	S. W. b W.	N. E. by E.
Frith, Leith, Dunbar.	4	30	W. S. W.	E. N. E.
Flamouth, Garnesey.	5	15	W. by S.	East by No.
Foy, Lin, Humber, Way, Dartmouth, or Plimmouth.	6	0	East.	West.
Bristol.	6	45	E. by South	West by No
Milford hauen, Bridgewater.	7	30	E. S. E.	West. N. W.
Portland, Peter port.	8	15	S. E. by E.	N. W. b W.
Orkenpocle, Orwell.	9	0	South East.	North west.
Deepe, Lux, Lenoyes.	9	45	S. E. by S.	N. W. b N.
Bolyn, Douer, Harwich, Yarmou.	10	30	S. S. E.	N. N. West.
Callice, Rye, Winchelsey.	11	15	S. by E.	N. by West.

Adde the howers and minutes noted right against each Hauen, to the Moones counting to the South, and the resalte will be the time of the Tide, or high Water in such a Hauen, or Port. And also by this Table, may you see vpon what poynt of the Compasse it floweth in any of the Coastes aforesayd: Which Table being so plaine, I hold it needlesse to set downe any example.

Phisicall

Phisicall Elections in the administration, both of Laxative and Purgative Medecines.

In the administration of Phisicke, are chiefly to be respected three things, viz. The Time, the Age, and the Manner of Administration.

For the election of Time, consideration is to be had, that it be not in extremity, either of heate or cold. And therefore Hipocrat. part the 6. and 46. Aphori. sayth, That the Spring and Autumne, are more convenient for Phisicke, then Sommer or Winter: For in Sommer, the Humors boyle by reason of heate, causing great annoyances to mens bodies: Yet if necessity urge, to take Phisicke in Sommer; it is best to be taken by Vomite: and in Winter (if necessity require) by Purgation.

Concerning the Age: You are to understand, that decrepite Old Age, and young Infants, are unfit to have Phisicke administered unto them. And it also dangerous in Youth: for, as a learned Phisitian sayth, Hee that taketh much Phisicke when he is young, will much repent it when he is old.

And for the Manner of Phisicks administration, Albumasars opinion is, That the fittest time for

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Purgations, are to be elected according to the motion of the Moone in watry signes, as in Cancer, Scorpio, and Pisces.

Others hold opinion, that the first halfe of Libra, and Aquarius, are fit times. And when the Moone is boye of course, it is indifferent to take purgative Medecines.

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Note, that you must looke that Venus be not combust: And that the Coniunction, Square, or Opposition of Saturne, Iupiter, or Mars, either to the Moone, or betweene them selues, hindereth the operation of Physicke.

Use no Purging Medecine, when the Moone is in Aries, Taurus, or Capricorne; or ioynd to any Planet that is Retrograde, for they cause Vomite.

Ptolomic saith also, That Medecines should not be administered when the Moone is ioynd to Iupiter

piler: for (sayth he) the effect thereof will be abated, by reason of Jupiters beeing hot and moyst, in which quality consisteth the vigour of life and nature.

The Moone being fortified, it is ill to Purge the Braine.

In ministration of Purgations remember Halys Comentarv on Ptolomie, who sayth, That the Humours, from the change of the Moone to the first Quarter; and from the full to the last Quarter, doe moue from the inward parts of the body, to the outward. And likewise from the first quarter to the Opposition: As also from the last quarter to the change, they moue from the outward parts, to the inward.

Therefore in the first, and third weekes of the Moone, is best applying of externall euacuations: And in the second and fourth weekes, internall Purgations.

Before the age of 14. or after the age of 63. Phlebotomy, rather hurteth then helpeth, in regard of the slenderesse of Veines in the Children: and the crasinesse, and decrepice weaknesse in Old men.

The vnaccustomed are not to be Phlebotomized, least it breed some Malady; vnlesse necessitie vze it. And you must also respect the strength of the person.

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Certaine Elections concerning Husbandrie.

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The day or in a good aspect of } Are good times to plant or sow Seedes.

Note, that it is best to plant, in the last Quarter of the Moone, so that she be not aspected by Coniunction, Square, or Opposition of Saturne or Mars.

Sow Corne, when the Moone is in Cancer.

Fell Timber for Building, from Midsummer to Christmas, in the wand of the Moone.

Geld or Libbe Cattle, when the Moone is either in Aries, Sagittary, or Capricorne.

Remoue Trees the last Quarter of the Moone, betweene Albhantide and Twelctide.

The later Writers of Husbandry, doe report, that the Seedes of tender Hearbes committed to the Earth in an apt time, the Moone being in her first Quarter, doe more speedier shoote vp, then otherwise; especially being sown after showers of

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of raine, on sunny and warme places, with obseruation, that the Winde bloweth not from the North at the time of their sowing.

And though the auncient Writers of Husbandry, haue prescribed proper Months and Dayes for the sowing of Seedes, yet may euery man herein obserue their owne Rules, according to the nature of the place, and Ayre, where they are to be sowed: so that they consider also, that there be some Seedes, that by Nature doe spring vp faster then others.

*Soli Deo, decus &
Gloria.*